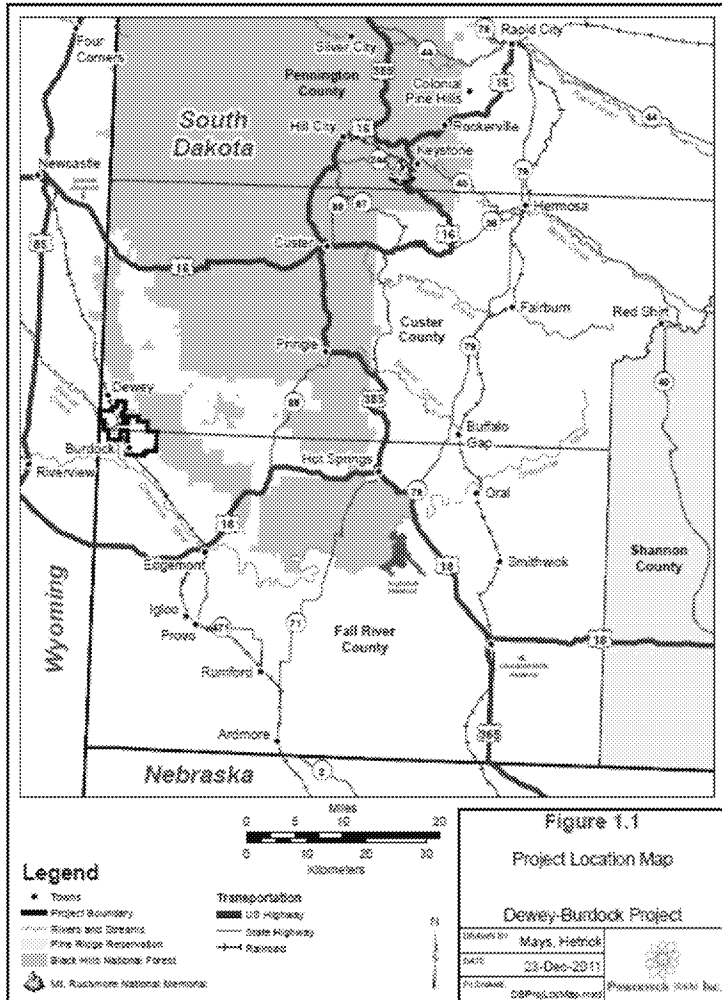
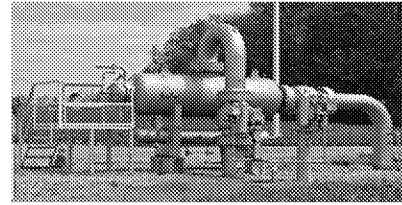


# Public Hearings Scheduled

## Underground Injection Control Draft Permits



- EPA has issued three draft Underground Injection Control (UIC) Area Permits to Powertech (USA) Inc. for injection activities related to uranium recovery at the proposed Dewey Burdock site.

The draft permits can be found at the EPA Region 8 UIC Program website:

<https://www.epa.gov/uic/uic-epa-region-8>

- EPA is also proposing to exempt uranium-bearing portions of the Inyan Kara aquifer from protection under the Safe Drinking Water Act.
- EPA will conduct information sessions combined with public hearings (to hear comments) on January 9-12 and January 18th (see below for details). EPA will accept public comments until February 3, 2017.

## Public Information Sessions and Hearing Information:

**Monday-Tuesday, January 9-10, 2017**, from 1:00 to 8:00 pm (with a break from 5:00 to 6:00 pm)

**The Best Western Ramkota Hotel**  
2111 N. LaCrosse Street  
Rapid City, South Dakota 57701

**Wednesday, January 11, 2017**, from 1:00 to 8:00 pm (with a break from 5:00 to 6:00 pm)

**The Mueller House**  
201 S 6th Street  
Hot Springs, South Dakota 57747

**Thursday, January 12, 2017**, from 1:00 to 8:00 pm (with a break from 5:00 to 6:00 pm)

**St. James Catholic Church**  
310 3rd Avenue  
Edgemont, South Dakota 57735

**Wednesday, January 18, 2017** from 3:00 to 8:00 p.m.

**Niobrara Lodge**  
803 US Highway 20  
Valentine, Nebraska 69201

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